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STATISTICAL RELEASE

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - WINES

ITEM	May		8 Months through end of	
	1996	1995	1996	May 1995
	(Wine Gallons)			
STILL WINES (BULK)				
Production:				
Removed from fermenters 1/	6,891,263	4,959,896	293,300,363	235,241,868
Increases after fermentation:				
By sweetening	3,533,254	1,015,826	16,393,159	11,105,144
By addition of wine spirits	662,067	404,777	5,127,931	4,811,526
By amelioration	627,068	664,450	4,933,172	4,099,764
Production, total	11,713,652	7,044,949	319,754,625	255,258,302
Withdrawals:				
Taxable:				
Not over 14% alcohol (\$1.07 per gallon)	29,790	34,833	720,587	1,020,700
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol (\$1.57)	7,091	27,167	163,337	187,190
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol (\$3.15)	1	1	97,601	4,087
Taxable, total	36,882	62,001	981,525	1,211,977
Tax-free:				
Production of effervescent wines	1,920,231	1,352,219	12,641,810	13,471,068
Production of vinegar	78,486	176,357	740,774	889,682
Production of non-beverage wine:				
Not over 14% alcohol	114,876	122,385	1,363,877	1,092,411
Over 14% alcohol	361,908	405,259	2,859,094	2,218,240
For use as distilling material 2/	313,902	305,416	6,840,402	9,101,794
Exports	1,113,010	998,656	5,697,017	5,070,466
Tax-free, total	3,902,413	3,360,292	30,142,974	31,843,661
Stocks end-of-month total:				
Not over 14% alcohol	276,919,347	291,677,066		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	26,208,307	24,678,549		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	3,604,874	2,155,271		
Stocks end-of-month, total	306,732,528	318,510,886		
STILL WINES (BOTTLED)				
Bottled 3/	36,875,146	31,846,679	267,866,550	245,073,331
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol	30,666,644	27,625,617	236,518,080	219,816,548
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	3,006,297	2,248,356	18,964,655	18,611,875
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	25,851	0	71,796	803
Taxable withdrawals, total	33,698,792	29,873,973	255,554,531	238,429,226
Tax-free, export				
Withdrawals, total	35,662,551	32,108,622	270,144,355	250,579,472
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol	61,336,906	57,877,698		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	5,508,124	3,720,695		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	39,921	0		
Stocks end-of-month, total	66,884,951	61,598,393		
EFFERVESCENT WINES (BULK AND BOTTLED)				
Produced	2,153,148	1,471,110	14,260,291	14,714,990
Bottled	1,527,213	1,074,729	14,585,460	14,774,093
Taxable withdrawals:				
Artificially carbonated	19,820	31,433	162,769	215,194
Naturally carbonated	1,381,040	1,508,805	15,697,837	15,784,301
Taxable withdrawals, total	1,400,860	1,540,238	15,860,606	15,999,495
Tax-free, export				
Withdrawals, total	1,507,850	1,691,319	16,918,180	16,948,612
Stocks end-of-month				
	14,121,037	15,086,552		

NOTE: Vermouth and other special natural still wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in still wines. Other special natural carbonated wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in effervescent wines.

1/ Excludes substandard wines produced as distilling material for the production of brandy.

2/ Additional wine expressly produced as distilling material.

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May 1996

ITEM	May		8 Months through end of		May
	1996	1995	1996	1995	
	(Wine Gallons)				
SPECIAL NATURAL WINES					
VERMOUTH:					
Production	229,613	605,047	1,121,922	1,735,485	
Taxable withdrawals	508,003	172,450	1,705,919	1,608,147	
Stocks end-of-month	231,883	2,532,213			
OTHER SPECIAL NATURAL WINE					
Production:					
Not over 14% alcohol	1,155,803	1,928,689	12,185,954	13,866,034	
Over 14% alcohol	856,865	753,438	4,089,689	4,388,655	
Artificially carbonated	10,725	21,531	85,699	130,505	
Naturally carbonated	11,512	185	553,371	63,147	
Total	2,034,905	2,703,843	16,914,713	18,448,341	
Taxable withdrawals:					
Not over 14% alcohol	1,808,236	1,838,151	11,418,690	11,448,472	
Over 14% alcohol	687,111	521,654	4,651,665	4,287,961	
Artificially carbonated	9,648	18,668	71,495	112,880	
Naturally carbonated	34,562	10,976	508,925	82,854	
Total	2,539,557	2,389,449	16,650,775	15,932,167	
Stocks end-of-month:					
Not over 14% alcohol	353,270	3,665,132			
Over 14% alcohol	2,390,137	1,479,771			
Artificially carbonated	23,037	50,191			
Naturally carbonated	242,872	37,218			
Total	3,009,316	5,232,312			
27 CFR 24.218 Wines (Wine Coolers)					
Production	3,693,318	2,998,883	39,076,963	18,559,413	
Taxable withdrawals	2,834,543	1,893,501	15,815,268	10,705,875	
Stocks end-of-month	6,872,855	3,664,333			
DISTILLING MATERIAL					
Production: California	2,460,996	5,107,847	68,048,029	58,321,044	
Florida	0	0	0	4,505	
Others	0	0	0	0	
Removed to distilled spirits plants	2,533,803	2,835,283	80,020,011	63,810,288	
VINEGAR STOCKS					
Removed to vinegar plants	197,064	199,963	240,053	199,963	

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Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Special Natural Wines		
	Production 1/	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Vermouth		
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Production	Taxable Withdrawals	Stocks End-of-month
Alabama	2,547	0	0	51,951	0	0	0	0
Arizona	220	0	0	12,813	450	0	0	0
Arkansas	0	0	0	160,655	50,010	0	0	0
California	3,066,264	16,203	2,756	259,289,526	25,128,551	215,016	500,727	206,273
Colorado	4,683	12	0	14,718	801	0	0	0
Connecticut	565	0	0	31,296	482	0	0	0
Florida	35,922	0	55	62,716	19,933	0	0	0
Georgia	45,655	613	553	302,606	248,376	55	55	111
Idaho	0	0	0	140,866	0	0	0	0
Illinois	549	0	0	50,982	15,840	0	0	0
Indiana	4,391	0	0	43,539	338	0	0	0
Kentucky	46,747	0	387	24,144	241,681	0	0	0
Maryland	3,956	0	0	30,539	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	4,637	0	0	41,941	0	0	0	0
Michigan	11,116	0	0	119,984	7,915	0	0	0
Minnesota	600	0	0	12,150	600	0	0	0
Missouri	471	0	0	223,430	19,128	0	0	0
New Jersey	82,851	0	0	96,558	2,139	0	0	0
New Mexico	7,994	0	0	168,027	470	0	0	0
New York	3,158,130	753	2,201	4,530,283	3,854,934	14,542	5,477	17,668
North Carolina	15,173	45	0	37,537	0	0	0	0
Ohio	93,068	6,576	1,140	500,276	173,717	0	1,744	7,831
Oregon	64,897	500	0	1,133,325	22,898	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	14,770	0	0	224,387	0	0	0	0
Rhode Island	0	0	0	16,392	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	12,961	2,456	0	75,801	0	0	0	0
Texas	91,350	2,632	0	667,193	5,641	0	0	0
Vermont	88,629	0	0	66,404	0	0	0	0
Virginia	0	0	0	6,393	0	0	0	0
Washington	18,263	0	0	8,669,228	19,222	0	0	0
West Virginia	169	0	0	14,835	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	11,343	0	0	29,030	55	0	0	0
Others 2/	3,342	0	0	69,822	0	0	0	0
Total	6,891,263	29,790	7,092	276,919,347	29,813,181	229,613	508,003	231,883

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Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Special Natural Wines			Effervescent Wine			
	Other			Production	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month
	Production	Taxable With- drawals	Stocks end-of- month		Artificially Carbonated wines	Naturally Carbonated wines	
Arkansas	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,380
California	1,956,523	2,303,506	2,858,229	1,755,800	0	0	10,494,979
Michigan	0	82	2,966	1,295	0	0	11,705
Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,524
New Jersey	0	0	0	1,369	0	0	5,540
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	38,921
New York	74,654	234,031	135,328	214,652	0	0	281,352
Ohio	1,106	307	2,323	3,500	0	0	24,206
Oregon	0	0	0	0	0	0	76,864
Pennsylvania	1,247	459	6,766	820	0	0	1,489
Washington	0	0	0	168,269	0	0	389,612
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0	0	0	152
Others 2/	1,375	1,172	3,704	7,443	0	0	59,060
Total	2,034,905	2,539,557	3,009,316	2,153,148	0	0	11,389,784

1/ Removed from fermenter exclusive of distilling materials.

2/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Wyoming.

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Bottled Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Effervescent Wines			
	Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of- month
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol		Artificially carbonated wines	Naturally carbonated wines	
Alabama	0	87	0	1,501	0	0	0	0	0
Arizona	0	2,733	287	23,181	0	0	0	77	285
Arkansas	0	32,619	5,449	71,187	21,024	0	0	278	1,102
California	32,828,294	26,509,228	2,003,285	50,716,480	4,773,975	1,243,897	11,400	1,137,379	2,229,745
Colorado	0	2,145	283	22,793	1,873	0	0	0	0
Connecticut	2,268	4,211	28	27,036	585	0	0	38	31
Florida	5,876	43,729	0	107,812	0	0	0	136	1,166
Georgia	186,432	116,983	15,168	716,654	3,350	0	0	0	0
Idaho	36,265	23,249	0	226,608	0	642	0	2,892	8,819
Illinois	0	294,333	457	1,085,365	46	0	0	13	60
Indiana	224,851	259,818	155	193,056	0	155	0	0	156
Kentucky	19,004	0	9,741	0	28,709	0	0	0	0
Maryland	5,320	5,518	0	17,412	0	32	0	169	11
Massachusetts	7,535	5,293	33	35,767	254	0	0	59	1,016
Michigan	50,888	46,857	75	119,711	565	311	0	313	2,474
Minnesota	2,324	1,540	0	14,656	92	0	0	6	48
Missouri	54,153	30,239	1,362	205,404	16,447	716	2,352	373	8,379
New Jersey	10,516	456,860	24,825	222,275	22,007	629	0	18,362	18,956
New Mexico	8,154	1,538	0	20,653	300	46	0	2,754	9,131
New York	2,388,267	1,186,077	955,683	1,764,124	615,200	225,008	5,477	157,988	222,036
North Carolina	16,145	15,525	0	45,663	1,182	111	0	987	517
Ohio	57,563	55,243	5,454	162,851	27,393	1,167	0	1,888	13,260
Oregon	64,667	137,797	1,864	1,068,570	15,476	2,116	161	1,799	13,258
Pennsylvania	53,585	24,373	0	153,341	0	323	273	39	1,546
Rhode Island	2,612	1,337	0	8,167	0	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	0	287	0	13,794	0	5	0	4	0
Tennessee	10,345	10,112	0	33,751	0	11	152	11	317
Texas	137,418	115,135	486	179,265	3,827	0	0	52	446
Vermont	177,446	179,044	0	14,196	596	0	0	0	0
Virginia	3,992	676	0	16,295	0	0	0	0	200
Washington	506,100	737,576	4,542	2,935,149	11,198	51,176	0	55,185	195,505
West Virginia	392	937	0	4,706	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	7,657	13,141	48	38,905	342	868	5	4	973
Others 1/	4,740	352,131	5,533	1,070,347	3,835	0	0	234	1,816
Total	36,872,809	30,666,371	3,034,758	61,336,675	5,548,276	1,527,213	19,820	1,381,040	2,731,253

1/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, Puerto Rico, South Dakota, and Wyoming.